



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Tonkovich et al.

Application No. 10/076,915

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For: METHODS OF MAKING  
DEVICES BY STACKING  
SHEETS AND PROCESSES OF  
CONDUCTING UNIT  
OPERATIONS USING SUCH  
DEVICES

Art Unit: 1764

Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung

Atty Docket: 13007B

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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If the Examiner has any questions or wishes to discuss this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned representative at the number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Other Documents** (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	AR	European Search Report for EP 05020644.0 - 2113, mailed Dec 2, 2005.
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